FORM 3

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* Hedstrom Mark M.	2. Date of Eve Requiring State (Month/Day/Yo 05/04/2020	tement 'ear)	3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Colony Credit Real Estate, Inc. [CLNC]					
(Last) (First) (Middle) C/O COLONY CREDIT REAL ESTATE, INC.			Relationship of Reporting Issuer (Check all applicable) X Director	Person(s)	•	5. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)		
515 S. FLOWER STREET, 44TH FLOOR (Street)			Officer (give title below)	Other (specify below)	(specify	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) X Form filed by One Reporting Person		
LOS ANGELES CA 90071						Form filed Reporting	by More than One Person	
(City) (State) (Zip)								
Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned								
1. Title of Security (Instr. 4)			2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned (Instr. I)			4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)		
				(I) (Insti	r. 5)			
Class A Common Stock			48,645	(I) (Insti				
7			48,645 Securities Beneficial ats, options, convertil	Ily Own	ned			
(e.g.,		warran able and	Securities Beneficial	Ily Own	ned	5. Ownership cise Form:	6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)	

Explanation of Responses:

Remarks:

/s/ David A. Palame, Attorney-in-Fact

05/05/2020

** Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 5 (b)(v).
- $^{\star\star} \ Intentional \ misstatements \ or \ omissions \ of facts \ constitute \ Federal \ Criminal \ Violations \ See \ 18 \ U.S.C. \ 1001 \ and \ 15 \ U.S.C. \ 78 \ ff(a).$

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POWER OF ATTORNEY

Know all by these presents that the undersigned hereby constitutes and appoints each of Neale W. Redington and David A. Palame, signing singly, and with full power of substitution, the undersigned's true and lawful attorney-infact to:

- (1) as necessary, prepare, execute in the undersigned's name and on the undersigned's behalf, and submit to the U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission (the "SEC") a Form ID, including amendments thereto, and any other documents necessary or appropriate to obtain codes and passwords enabling the undersigned to make electronic filings with the SEC of reports required by Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 or any rule or regulation of the SEC;
- (2) execute for and on behalf of the undersigned, in the undersigned's capacity as an officer and/or director of Colony Credit Real Estate, Inc. (the "Company"), Forms 3, 4, and 5 in accordance with Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 and the rules thereunder, and any other forms or reports the undersigned may be required to file in connection with the undersigned's ownership, acquisition, or disposition of securities of the Company;
- (3) do and perform any and all acts for and on behalf of the undersigned which may be necessary or desirable to complete and execute any such Form 3, 4, or 5, or other form or report, and timely file such form with the SEC and any stock exchange or similar authority; and
- (4) take any other action of any type whatsoever in connection with the foregoing which, in the opinion of such attorney-in-fact, may be of benefit to, and in the best interest of, or legally required by, the undersigned.

The undersigned hereby grants to each such attorney-in-fact full power and authority to do and perform any and every act and thing whatsoever requisite, necessary, or proper to be done in the exercise of any of the rights and powers herein granted, as fully to all intents and purposes as the undersigned might or could do if personally present, with full power of substitution or revocation, hereby ratifying and confirming all that such attorney-in-fact, or such attorney-in-fact's substitute or substitutes, shall lawfully do or cause to be done by virtue of this power of attorney and the rights and powers herein granted. The undersigned acknowledges that the foregoing attorneys-in-fact, in serving in such capacity at the request of the undersigned, are not assuming, nor is the Company assuming, any of the undersigned's responsibilities to comply with Section 16 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934.

This Power of Attorney shall remain in full force and effect until the undersigned is no longer required to file Forms 3, 4, and 5 with respect to the undersigned's holdings of and transactions in securities issued by the Company, unless earlier revoked by the undersigned in a signed writing delivered to the foregoing attorneys-in-fact.

[Signature Page Follows]

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned has caused this Power of Attorney to be executed as of this 4th day of May, 2020.

/s/ Mark M. Hedstrom

Name: Mark M. Hedstrom